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## TALK OF THE TOWN

Julian Corti, who has been visiting relatives in the city for a week, returned this morning to his home in South Rye-gate.

George F. Mackay of Wellington street has resumed his duties in the office of the National Life Insurance Co. at Montpelier, after a vacation of two weeks.



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## TALK OF THE TOWN

Large showing of trimmed hats. Mrs. S. E. Laviolette.

Lyman Hutchinson of Randolph is visiting his son, Leonard Hutchinson. Francis Hovey left this morning for St. Johnsbury to spend the day on business.

Mrs. Paul Wilfore, who is ill at her home on South Main street, is slowly improving.

Remember the place, Episcopal church, for the harvest supper Wednesday evening. Watch for menu in Times—adv.

Mrs. B. Ward left last night for Montreal, P. Q., where she will stop for a few days before going to Brantford, Ont.

For correct millinery at the right price, call at Mrs. H. S. Miles' millinery parlors, 200 North Main street, over Dodge's Jewelry store.

Stove boards, stove pipes, elbows, dampers, coal hods and coal sifters, all kinds of stove repairs. E. A. Prindle, 200 North Main street.

Regular meeting of the retail clerks' union, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Northern hall. Let all members be present.

Alexander L. McNabb, formerly employed in Concord, N. H., as a quarryman, passed through the city last night, while en route for Granville.

The annual meeting of the Barre Golf club will be held in the city court room Wednesday, Oct. 18. Every member please make an effort to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Scudle, who have been visiting their children at Goddard seminary for a few days, returned to their home in Fairfield this morning.

Mrs. A. W. Allen left last night for Springfield, Mass., where she will attend the National Dairy show, which will be held there during the remainder of the week.

The ladies of the Universalist church are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Agnes Bradford Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to sew for the fair. Plenty of work for all who come.

Earl L. Parker of Hartford, Conn., arrived in the city yesterday and will visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lizzie A. Head, of upper Washington street for several days, while visiting friends and relatives in Vermont.

George Laxson, who has been visiting his brother, Peter Laxson of Mount street for a few days, left this morning for Springfield, Mass., for a visit with friends and to attend the fair, before returning to his home in Bandville, Que.

The Vermont Trucking & Sales Co. sent a truck to West Fairlee this morning to complete the job, which they commenced yesterday, of moving the household goods of Mrs. Carlton to her home on South Main street in this city.

John Corti, who was formerly employed in Barre, but for several years has been working as a stonecutter in Quincy, Mass., arrived in Barre last evening and will visit friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Montpelier left yesterday for the South, where they will visit for about two weeks. While away they will visit several points in Alabama. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Mattie Gregory of this city.

Regular meeting Bright Star Rebekah lodge, No. 18, Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at 7:30 o'clock. There will be initiation and supper served at 6:30. The officers are requested to meet for practice Tuesday evening, Oct. 17, at 7 o'clock. Congregational Philathea, Attention! If you want a rousing good time attend the Halloween party this (Tuesday) evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. Henry Jackson, South Main street—the first social and business meeting of the fall.

Clan Gordon and ladies' auxiliary joint quartet, "Green is the May," will be rendered by a chorus of 30 voices on the second evening of the fair, dancing each evening. Carroll's orchestra in attendance—adv.

There will be a meeting of the ladies' union Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, at 7:30 at the manse, 35 Wellington street. All the ladies of the Presbyterian church are cordially invited to come and join this society and help elect officers.

An elderly man, who gave his name as Bert Wiggins, persisted in getting in the way of concrete workers on North Main street this morning until Officer David Henderson came along and led him away. Later he was looked up at police headquarters and will be arraigned this evening on an intoxication charge.

Strawberries picked on the Jewett farm down Montpelier way are being sold in Barre now. The berries are the ever-bearing kind and seem to be growing as well now as they did in July and August when the weather was warmer. Mr. Jewett's people were selling the berries in the city yesterday, three baskets for a dollar.

S. Comoli, whose automobile was damaged when struck by a street car Saturday night near the junction of Pearl and North Main streets, said that the collision came about in this way: He was proceeding northward and the street car was running in the opposite direction, while at the same time a crowd of people were coming out of Pearl street onto North Main; in order to avoid hitting the people he turned his machine toward the curb and at the same time put on the brakes, thus stalling the engine and stopping the machine; the street car was proceeding slowly and Comoli, not having time to start up his engine, yelled to the motorman to stop and also signalled with his hand because his mudguard projected too near the track to permit the street car to pass. He says the motorman did not heed him and smashed into the automobile, tearing the mudguard and the running-board on the left side and also spoiling the rear tire. The automobile was taken to a garage for repairs.

South Barre Grange Fair Program. Wednesday evening—Farce by six young ladies from Williamstown, entitled, "For the Love of a Bonnet"; reading, Mrs. Towne; tableau, "America"; piano solo, Mrs. Leon Poor; illustrated national songs.

Thursday evening—The Hutchinson entertainers from Randolph, John Hutchinson and four daughters. The program consists of quartets, instrumental and vocal duets, solos and readings. These numbers come very highly recommended.

### Chicken Pie Supper.

The ladies' aid of the Baptist church will serve a chicken-pie supper Wednesday evening, Oct. 18, from 6 to 7:30. Everybody welcome. Menu: Chicken pie, Mashed potato, Pickles, Jelly, Hot rolls, Whipped cream cakes.

Tea, 35 cents; children under 12 years, 20 cents.

## TALK OF THE TOWN

T. F. Roy of the Crystal Lake Granite Co. in Barton is passing several days in the Barre granite belt on business.

Jackson Moore, who has been spending the past two days in Barre as a business visitor, left yesterday for his home in New York.

D. S. Waterman of Washington street returned to-day from Boston, where he has been passing a week with his son, P. W. Waterman.

A. A. Fairbanks visited his daughter, Mrs. William Robertson yesterday, while on his way to his home in Burlington from Littleton, N. H.

Miss Alvin Holt, who has been visiting relatives on South Main street during the past two weeks, returned to her home in Woodsville, N. H., last night.

The ladies of the Episcopal church hope to serve a large number of people Wednesday night from 5:30 to 7 o'clock at a harvest supper at 25c each—adv.

The Misses Marie Philbrick and Annie Herchie and James Herchie returned to their homes in Sherbrooke, P. Q., last night after visiting friends in Barre and Westerville during the past week.

John McCarthy, who gave St. Johnsbury as his residence, pleaded guilty to an intoxication charge when arraigned before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court this morning and went to jail for ten days.

William R. Dewey, who spent the summer at Eagle Pass, Tex., with Co. B of the first Vermont regiment, is back from St. Johnsbury, where he worked as a brakeman on the Vermont branch of the Central Vermont railroad.

Mimmi Cretanen, who has been making an extended sojourn in Finland, his native land, arrived in the city this morning from New York, where he recently landed. Mr. Cretanen returned this forenoon to his home in Granville.

A traveler between Barre and Burlington counted no fewer than nine corn silos in course of construction. Most of the builders adhered to the somewhat conventional round silo, although two were built on the lines of a grain elevator.

Mrs. S. N. Parker of Spaulding street left last night for Hartford, Conn., where she was called by the condition of her son, George Parker, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Parker is employed in the office of the Aetna Insurance Co.

Street department laborers this morning began the work of laying a connecting strip of cement sidewalk along North Main street from the Reynolds block to the Gladding building. Sections of the connecting link were laid in 1915 and 1916. While the city's part of the work is under way, William Miers will cause to be erected a set of cement steps leading to his up-town barber shop.

Among the guests arriving at Hotel Barre last night and this morning were the following people: Misses Mary and Beatrice Jackson of Los Angeles, Cal.; Dr. and Mrs. H. N. Jackson of Burlington; F. C. Rugg of Bradford, L. M. Scott of St. Johnsbury; C. H. Carr of Orford, N. H.; J. L. Jolly of Woodsville, N. H.; George C. Felch of St. Johnsbury; C. M. Steele of Farmington, Me.; P. J. Barnes of Manchester, N. H.; J. McCabe of Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Cummings of Littleton, N. H.; Ernest L. Hackett of Northfield; Thomas B. Garvey of Burlington; J. B. Yandow of Winooski; R. H. Hurlbut of North Montpelier; F. B. Bidde of Davenport, Ia.; H. B. Selden and W. H. Waite of Burlington; E. L. Brock of Littleton, N. H.; Don M. Stiles of St. Johnsbury and Charles E. Lawrence of Bridport.

Arthur C. Moore, state treasurer of the Knights of Columbus, is in receipt of a communication from Anthony Mollica, grand knight, and William E. Ling, recording secretary of the St. Johnsbury council advising the members of the Barre council that the third ceremonial, which was to have taken place tomorrow evening, has been postponed to Monday evening, Oct. 23. The invitation extended to the Barre knights a week ago is renewed and it is hoped that a large delegation from this city may make the trip to St. Johnsbury. The change in the date was made necessary when unforeseen circumstances arose in the affairs of the state deputy. The degree next Monday evening will be conferred by Hon. C. H. Belvin, M. P., district deputy, of Canada, and his staff.

## WASH DAY NECESSITIES

Quart bottle Household Ammonia ..... 25c  
3 bottles Blueing or Ammonia ..... 25c  
Clean Easy Naphthalene Soap, 10 cakes for ..... 45c  
9 cakes Climax Soap ..... 25c  
Snap Clothes Pins, doz. .... 5c  
Split Clothes Pins, doz. .... 3c  
Zinc Wash Boards ..... 25c  
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4th. See that the chimney fits down closely around the burner to avoid draft under it.  
5th. When moving lamp from one place to another while lighted, always turn flame down slightly; otherwise it may smoke or cloud chimney.  
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## Ladies' Tailored Suits

Ladies that like Suits for late fall and winter wear will be much pleased this season, as not for a long time have Suits been so well adapted for cold weather as this season. The clothes are heavier than usual. Then many of the coats have a flannel interlining which makes them very warm and gives them a shape and style that is pleasing to all.

For the next few weeks we will plan and endeavor to have a full line of the most charming Suit models. Suits that are sure to be to your liking.

See our special Suit values in the Printz, Biederman and Wooltex models. These are individual models that are sure to be of more than ordinary interest to all.

See the special values at \$25.00.

## Harvest Time

There is no better time to gather in your fall wants of Dry Goods than right now, when our stock is at its very best.

Prices are very low, much better than you would find in larger cities. Much less than they will be with us once we have to buy more of these same kinds.

Ask to see new Breast Sets for the young ladies' school wear. They are very pretty, comfortable and warm. The better sets have large toques and long wide scarfs that come in plain colors or with stripes. These will please the young lady and be of special use.

Yarns of all grades are in great demand, so many things that are being knit at this season of the year.

Our new line of Gloves and Mittens is now on our display tables.

New Neckwear in a large variety of shapes and styles, all at popular prices. Better grades for the money than we have ever offered.

New lot of Silk Scarfs to be worn about the neck and shoulders.

## Hoagknit Sweaters

This is the best time of the whole year to buy Sweaters for the whole family.

Our window is full of these special values; all sizes, all kinds. Lots of them in new colors.

Children's Wool Sweaters from \$1.25 up. Come in all the best colors.

Boys' and girls' heavy Sweaters for play and school wear. Nothing better for the price on the market.

These Sweaters were bought last spring early and have been in our basement all the while. This was a large saving to us and now you share that saving.

We make a specialty of girls' and ladies' Sweaters, always trying to get the most for the price that can be had. Trying to get a little more wear and the very best of comfort and style.

We have a very dainty line of infants' Sweaters in assorted colors and color combinations that are very pretty.

New ideas in babies' and children's Knit Headwear.

## Something of Everything in Millinery

that is good and desirable here in our Millinery Department. Every express brings some new idea; you cannot see the same assortment two days running. The changes are made with the going and coming of new kinds. You won't find a better assortment of Millinery in any store than we are showing.

## The Daylight Store

### WILLIAMSTOWN

Loss on Vernon Savery Farm Was Very Large, Including Livestock.

Yesterday between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock the barns, silo, carriage-house, hen-house, granary and garage on the farm of Vernon E. Savery on the road to Northfield were entirely destroyed by fire. Mr. Savery bought some cattle at the Bannister auction in Brookfield the Saturday before and, with his man, Leon Seaver, and neighbor, Claude Hopkins, had gone with a two-horse rig of Mr. Savery's to get them. Mr. Hopkins leaving his horse in the barn. When the fire was discovered by Mrs. Savery it had gotten such headway that the flames were leaping out through openings in the barn for several feet. The alarm was given by telephone and within a short time a large force of neighbors were on the spot. From the village came members of the fire department and others bringing a large number of extinguishers ready for use and it is these and the fighting spirit of the crowd that saved the house from sharing the fate of the other buildings. At first it was thought the house must burn and all movables were carried out, some of them being roughly handled in the haste and excitement of the moment. The barn in which the fire started was about 40 by 100 feet and the silo was at the end nearest the house. At the farther end was the carriage-house, and hen-house, while the granary and garage were about opposite the middle of the barn and some 30 feet distant. Those arriving first moved the auto to a place of safety, though it was so hot that the cover was scorched. Some of the larger implements such as a manure spreader, hay tedder, wagon and others were saved, but aside from these the entire contents of the buildings were burned. The stock burned included three horses, one belonging to Mr. Savery and one to Claude Hopkins and one to the hired man, Leon Seaver; a new milch cow and calf, five older calves, a registered Guernsey bull valued at \$500, 10 fat hogs averaging 180 pounds, and a good brood sow. The grain and crops were all in and this list includes 100 tons of hay, 300 bushels of oats, 30 bushels of barley and 130 bushels of corn. The silo was burned away, leaving the ensilage, which was so damp that it did not burn readily, but will doubtless spoil in its present condition.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Several theories have been advanced, among them that of spontaneous combustion, and this is the most probable one. Buildings and contents were insured in the Union Mutual Insurance Co. of Montpelier through the agency of N. R. Farnham, who was notified and was on the ground while they were still burning. Officers of the company from the home office were also there within a few hours, ready to adjust the loss. Mr. Savery has his herd of cows that were out to pasture and it is stated that he will sell these as soon as possible.

The Village Improvement society held their annual meeting on Friday evening, Oct. 14, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. W. E. Randall; vice-president, Miss Myrtle Seaver; secretary, Mrs. L. O. Morgan; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah Seaver.

Mrs. Freda Blake and Miss Lillian Priddy of New York City are visiting their sister, Mrs. Grover C. Hutchinson. Hugh L. Seaver, rural carrier at Randolph, visited his parents over the weekend.

The heavy wind of Friday night blew a limb or tree across the wires between here and Granville so that very little juice came over Saturday morning. In consequence of this lack of power the stonemasons of Passera Bros. and the W.

### General Field of Sport.

In spite of a number of excellent qualifications for center which were shown by Charley Taft on the Yale football team Saturday at New Haven, his passing showed lack of experience and he will return to tackle, where he has shown the best form of the season, according to a statement by the Yale coaches yesterday. It is probable that the Elis will put John Callaghan in at center or the giant Rex Hutchinson. Aside from the experimenting of one center rush, the Yale lineup will remain about the same as in the game last Saturday. There were several features of the Yale-Lehigh game which left unsatisfactory impressions in the minds of the Yale alumni and that was the rough playing. Lehigh is liable not to be on the Yale schedule next year.

Haverhill, Mass., will be the center of attraction next Saturday in eastern football when Dartmouth and Georgetown clash in that city. This game promises to be the feature contest of the larger colleges, as the Massachusetts A. C. are at Harvard, Lafayette at Princeton and other smaller colleges are paired up with the bigger ones. Dartmouth, with a large scoring machine, is the favorite in the meeting, though Georgetown is admittedly strong.

American athletes carried off the lion's share of the honors of the first day of the track events at Stockholm, Sweden, Saturday. Competing against athletes of the Scandinavian countries, the Americans captured three races, the 100 and 400 meters runs and the 800 meters relay race. In the 400 meters race, Ted Meredith, the former quarter-mile American champion, defeated J. Bolin, the holder of the 800 meters Swedish record, the winner's time being 49 7/10 seconds. The Americans took first, second and third in the 100 meters event, the winner being Joe Loomis of Chicago. The high jump was won by Kullerstrand, a Swede. Loomis took second in this event, while Fred Murray of Chicago took third.

The Brooklyn players did a sportsman-like thing when they included Batcher McCarthy of the New York Giants in the division of the world's series coin. McCarthy played a great part of the season with the Brooklyn team.

The first rehearsal of the community chorus will be held in the vestry of the Methodist church Tuesday evening beginning at 8:30 p. m. The music is here and it is hoped that a good start can be made.

So far three players who participate in the world's series games have signified their intentions to retire from the national pastime. They are Manager Carrigan and Pitcher Foster of the Red Sox and Pitcher Nap Rucker of the Brooklyn team. How many of the three will fall to show up the spring training camp next year is now the question with the fans.

## GOOD VALUES

We have one lot of Albion Brand Peas, bought on a low market, for this week, while they last, per dozen ..... \$1.00  
These are a nice lot and worth much more than that at wholesale to-day.

The Dimock Farm Pure Cider Bottled Vinegar, per bottle ..... 10c  
Best Full Cream Cheese, per lb. .... 24c  
Domestic Swiss Cheese, per lb. .... 45c  
Imported Roquefort Cheese, per lb. .... 55c  
Five-Year-Old Cheese, per lb. .... 30c  
Cream Cheese in tinfoil ..... 10c  
Pimento Cheese in glass jars ..... 10c

Tokay Grapes ..... 2 lbs. for 25c  
Concord Grapes, full weight fancy Grapes ..... 18c  
A good Eating and Pie Apple, per peck ..... 18c  
Sweet Potatoes, going up soon, now, per pk. .... 30c

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